Docket No.: 213346US2S

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Tadashi KOJIMA

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SIGNAL RECORDING MEDIUM, SIGNAL RECORDING METHOD, SIGNAL RECORDING APPARATUS,

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AMENDMENT

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated April 20, 2004, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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